

(b) The Superintending Engineer, Bangalore Circle, forwarded the estimate to the Chief Engineer, (C & B) in July 1961.

(c) Rs. 1,09,000.

(d) No.

(e) The matter will be examined and action would be taken with reference to priority and availability of funds.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ತಾರೇಗೌಡ.—ಈ ಹೊಸಗೆ ನೇತುವೆಯನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟಿದ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ, ಮತ್ತೆ ಗದ್ದೆ ಹಳ್ಳಿ ಬಳಿ ಇರುವ ಕಲ್ಲಿನ quarry ಯಿಂದ ಗಾಯತ್ರಿ ರಿನವಾರ್‌ಮಠ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಹೆದ್ದಾರಿಗೆ ಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವ ಕಲ್ಲು ಚಪ್ಪಡಿಗಳು, ಜಲ್ಲ, ದತ್ತ್ ಇವೆಲ್ಲವೂ ಈಗ ಇರುವ ಕಾನಾಂವೇ ಮೂಲಕ ಬರಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಕೆಲಸ ನಿಧಾನವಾಗಿದೆಯಲ್ಲವೇ ?

†Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—It is a fact that much inconvenience is being caused. We will try to put up a bridge as early as possible. An estimate has been got up and we will try to get it included in the current year's programme.

LOSS CAUSED DUE TO HEAVY RAINS IN BELGAUM, DHARWAR AND NORTH KANARA DISTRICTS.

*Q.—982. Sri L. B. BIRJE (Khanapur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the area affected, and the nature of loss caused due to heavy rains in Belgaum, Dharwar and North Kanara Districts in the month of May, 1951 ;

(b) the amount of loss caused to the agriculturists and forest contractors on account of heavy rains of those areas ;

(c) the nature and quantum of aid given by Government as relief to these affected areas and conditions imposed thereon ;

(d) the names of the villages in Khanapur Taluka that were affected due to heavy rains and the relief measures undertaken and the amount of money given to the said villages ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) Damage has been caused to an area of 6,337-28 acres of land by the washing away of bunds and paddy crops and depositing of silt and sand in the lands. The estimated loss is Rs. 5,95,243, 15 houses and 13 huts were damaged. The loss is estimated to be Rs. 11,600. Cattle worth Rs. 12,530, Paddy stocks worth Rs. 6,520, and Timber worth Rs. 10 lakhs partly belonging to private persons and partly to Government were swept away. In addition to the above, 2 dozen

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hens, 6 goats, 2 bullocks, 5 she-buffaloes, were also swept away in the rains and floods. Railway lines and sidings and bunds were also damaged.

(b) Loss to agriculturists	...	Rs. 6,65,483
Loss of Forest Contractors	...	„ 8,05,000
Loss to Government Depots	...	„ 2,00,000

(c) Cash relief of Rs. 320 was paid to the affected persons. The Village Panchayat Committees and local committees collected an amount of Rs. 351 and distributed it to the affected persons. The Forest Department paid cash relief of Rs. 500 to 3 Forest guards. An Amount of Rs. 2,51,080 has been advanced as Tagai loan for purchase of seeds and repairs to bunds etc.

No conditions have been imposed on the recipients in respect of gratuitous relief distributed. The Tagai loans are sanctioned, subject to the normal rules laid down for the disposal of Tagai applications.

(d) The following are the names of the villages affected in Khanapur Taluk.

(1) Bhuranki, (2) Karikatti, (3) Ramapur, (4) Maskenhatti, (5) Godholi, (6) Pur, (7) Lingannath, (8) Kakkeri, (9) Chunchwad, (10) Surapur, (11) Tawargatti (12) Godgeri, (13) Bestenatti (14) Gundolli, (15) Balgund.

Tagai loans to the extent of Rs. 83,305 have been granted for repairs to their lands, to make them fit for sowing crops.

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

†Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—The names of the taluks affected by heavy rains has been given.

1-30-P.M.

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—I have no information with regard to each taluk but I can give information with regard to each district.

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಬಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ (ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು).—ಆದರೆ ಕಾಂಪೆನ್ಸೇಶನ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೀರ ಎಂದು ಕೇಳಿದರು. ಕಾಂಪೆನ್ಸೇಶನ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿಲ್ಲ ಯಾಂಗೆ ರಿಲೀಫ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದೆಯೋ, ಅದು ಅವರಿಗೆ ಮುಟ್ಟಿದೆ.

Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO.—May I know the total loss occasioned to the agriculturists due to heavy rains in Dharwar district?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—The loss to agriculturists in Dharwar is Rs. 2,250.

Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO.—May I know the number of villages affected by heavy rains in this district?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—The damage was caused in Annavara village, mainly.

Smt. V. V. MIRJANKAR.—May I know the loss incurred by forest contractors in North Kanara District ?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—The loss is Rs. 5,000.

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—5%.

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಬಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಉದ್ಭವಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಲ್ಲ.

Smt. V. V. MIRJANKAR.—Yesterday the Minister was pleased to say that the loss incurred in Government depots and by forest contractors in Annavara in North Kanara was about 10 lakhs. Now he says the loss is only Rs. 5,000. May I know which figure is correct?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—My information is presumed to be correct. It is correct.

Smt. VIJAYA RAGHAVENDER RAO.—Is it not a fact that according to Government Order dated 21th July 1961, forest contractors have been exempted from payment of earnest money ?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—Not exempted, but they have been asked to pay it after some time.

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—A vague allegation was made before me. There was no evidence in support of the allegation. I have asked the Divisional Commissioner to enquire into the matter.

Sri N. O. SAMAJI.—(Marathi).

Mr. SPEAKER.—This question refers to the month of May.

Sri N. O. SAMAJI.—(Marathi).

Sri L. B. BIRJE.—(Marathi).

Sri B. D. JATTI.—(Marathi).

WRIT PETITIONS FILED BY INAMDARS OF EX-INAM VILLAGE OF BENAKANAHALLI, DHARWAR DISTRICT AND JADEED INNAMDARS OF EX-SARANJAMA VILLAGES IN GAJENDRAGAD.

*Q.—1005. Sri A. J. DODDAMETI (Ron).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether it is a fact that the Inamlars of Ex-Inam Village of Benakanahalli, Dharwar District, and Jadeed Indamdars of